

CONGRESSMEN'S BANKERS

ONE OF THE DUTIES OF THE SE.

GRANT-AT-ARMS OF THE HOUSE.
He Not Only Keeps the Salary Account but Receives Deposits from Members How the Average Member Draws His Salary—Curiosities of the Millage Accounts Presented by Congressmen.

ninth Congress Mr. Barbour of Virginia reported the shortest trip, eight miles, and drew \$3.20. Mr. Compton of Maryland was eighteen miles, or \$7.20. Mr. Voorhees of Washington Territory drew \$1,195 instead of the \$2,500 which several writers of Congressional fiction have assumed to be his mileage. His amount was exceeded by all the California members and by two Territorial delegates.

The vastness of the number of miles travelled by the New York city members tends to prove the extent of the metropolis. Ten miles returned are: J. J. Adams, 282; Per-

LIEUT. O'KANE'S GHOST

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used every day. On it was written, in the we remembered, unmistakable, square hand writing of Larry O'Kane, an address which will say this:

MISS MARGARET OKANE,
OUILTIN
Ireland.

"There could be no doubt that this address was left for me to use in writing to the person named, and that she was a near relative of a dead friend. I lost no time in writing, as

100 hundred hours from New York then, and I know that we better can't put away all our

ination in less than ten days more from New York. A month must pass before I could possibly receive a reply even if it was sent with

The Bill's effect was passed, which in effect forbids the accumulation of income for a longer period than the minority of any person living at his death, or of any person who would under the settlement be otherwise entitled to the income. As such, so, however, the benefit of the accumulation of property may be postponed for a very long time.

Impressed with the expediency of this, Mr. Justice Williams, M. P. for North Norfolk, suggests that the restriction should be extended to the accumulation of income for a longer period than the minority of any person living at his death, or of any person who would under the settlement be otherwise entitled to the income. As such, so, however, the benefit of the accumulation of property may be postponed for a very long time.

SOME EMINENT PRIESTS

DO THEY LOOK LIKE THEY DO AND

at the public never hears of. He it was, together with Dr. D. J. O'Connell, now rector of the American College in Rome, who deftly fashioned the Latin decrees and English translation of the late Plenary Council. But many of the members have not actively participated, and of these he was the originator, is the great Catholic University at Washington. During the Council he delivered a long and masterly discourse on "University Education," and the plain speaking so offended some that certain passages in it had to be expurgated ere sent into official type. Toward the close

black eyes. He is plain and unostentatious, and full of many words. He manages the affairs of the vast diocese with a firm hand, and the least possible amount of friction. He is not, perhaps, than any clergyman in the country, a fair and just man, but he is so brightly that one might well believe that he will live to celebrate his fiftieth anniversary shop. He still occupies the dingy Episcopal man in Jay street, opposite the St. Catharine, but before long will move to the magnificent palace which has been erected on the same avenue. If he were to consult his

that it became necessary to extinguish lights. The participants, left in total darkness, pulled out locofocos, as the old-time matches were called. That's where med originated."